evidently in fear of an attack upon the government cartridge and small arm factory located in that suburb.

The long distance telephone station was occupied last night by half a company of infantry in order to prevent the anticipated attempt of the revolutionists to sever telephonic communications between there and Moscow.

It was announced at the adistraity last night that the drumhead court-martial proceedings at Cronstact probably would be suspended with the execution of seven ringleaders of the mutiny, who were condemned to death Thursday. The other mutineers will be subjected to trial by the regular court-martial, which will be convened after the customary delay.

Among the devilian agitators for whom, the police are searching are two exdeputies; Their names are not given, but they are believed to be M. Onliko and M. Michael.

It has now been ascertained that the death list on board the cruiser Pamyat Azova included Captain Sosinsky, two licutemants, the office nigneer and the pulmor engineers the surgeon, a mid-

illeutenants, the chief engineer and the junior engineers, the surgeon, a midshipman and the chief petty officer. Captain of the Second Class Mozyroft was mortally wounded. A priest and two lieutenants were slightly wounded and about fifty sallers were killed or wounded.

MUTINY ON BOGATYR PROMPTLY QUELLED

Sveaborg Soldier Says Casualties There Will Likely Run Into the Thousands.

the Thousands.

(By Associated Press.)

HIELSINGFORS, August 3.—11:17 P. M.

2—An Incipient mutiny broke out to-day
on board the Russian cruiser Bogatyr.

It was immediately put down, with the
arrest of 200 of the sallors on board.

A soldier who came from the Svenborg
fortress during the day said the casualties from the fighting or Wodnesday,
would be shown to number many more
than 500, expressing the opinion that the
totals would run into thousands. The
garrison consisted of 6,000 men.

During the night the telegraph lines
were cut, severing communication with
Viborg and a small ruliroad bridge between here and Viborg was blown up.
The bridge was subsequently repaired.

Trains from St. Petersburg are arriving
here after great delay. One of the railway bridges has again been blown up
with dynamite, but it was soon repaired.

Moving Warily.

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The government is handling the situa-tion carefully, fearing that the inovement may spread throughout the country. The Cossacks are used only in extreme cases, and then they disperse arough with warr and then they disperse crowds

and then they disperse crowds with more gentieness than they do in Russia. The socialistic "red guards" yesterday evening made a last effort to bring about a general strike. They marched in force to the power-house of the street railroad and ordered the men to strike. Upon their refusal the guards were summoned and a fight followed, resulting in the killing of the assistant chlef of police and several communal guards and a number of the "red guards." Cossacks were summoned and separated the combatants.

Knew What Was Coming.

(By Associated Press.)
MOSCOW, August 3.—Premier Stolypin as given orders to investigate the re narkable evidence that the black hun has given orders to investigate the black hundreds of Moscow were aware in advance that M. Herzenstein, the Constitutional Democratic leader, was to be murdered at his country home, near Terloti, Finland. It develops that it was a correspondent of the Associated Press who asked St. Petersburg by telephone two hours before the assassination whether there was any truth in the report in circulation in Moscow, that M. Herzenstein had been murdered. The correspondent obtained his information from a local evening paper, The Malk.

The editor of The Malk has informed the police that he obtained his information from the editor or Vicehe, a black hundred Exper of Moscow, whith has been publishing provocative articles ugainst the Jews and revolutionists.

Growing Discontent.

ODESSA, August 3.—The growing rest-lessness among the troops composing the garrisons in the southern provinces is being carefully watched by the perrisons in the southern provinces is being carefully watched by the pro-vincial commanders-in-chief. Protracted staff councils are being held daily. A revolutionary manifesto was circu-lated to-day, Jectaring that Russia is on the eve of a military and naval revo-lution, which will be sharp and desperate.

TYPHOID IN CAPITAL.

igi Cases Under Treatment, an

Increase of 14 in One Day.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—Orave cencern is felt at the increase of typhold fever in Washington in the face of the opening within the last year of a new filtration plant and the efforts for six weeks of a special board of local and national health officials to find the source of the disease. It was stated at the health office that 191 cases were under treatment yesterday, against 177 Wednesday and 128 one year ago. Thus far this year there have been 417 cases of typhold fever in the District of Columbia, Dr. William Penn Compton, an authority on typhold fever as it flourishes in Washington, attributes the extension of the disease to the failure of residents to boil the water from the public hydrants before using. Washington weather for more than a month has been uncertain and unseasonable. One of the officials of the weather bureau stated that it had rained twenty days in July. Increase of 14 in One Day.

MILLER DISMISSED.

Insubordinate Assistant Foreman

in Printing Office Ousted.

(Ity Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON. August 3.—W. A.

Miller, assistant foreman of the bindery
in the government printing office, who was
suspended by the public printer on July
21st for insubordination and insolence,
was dismissed from the government ser-

was dismissed from the government service yesterday.

Miller's former suspension in 1963 was the cause of President Recoevoit's order declaring the government printing office and all offices where workmen are employed by ather government to be open shops.

Negroes Elect Officers.

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(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 3.—After an all-day session to-day, the National Doard of Directors of the Negro Young People's Congress elected the following officers for the four years:

President, Bishop George W. Clinton of North Carolina; Vice-President, Rev. J. W. Bowen, or Atlanta; Corresponding Secretary, P. J. Bergan, of Atlanta; Treasurer, Bishop R. S. Williams, of Augusta; Financial Secretary, Professor John R. Hawkins, of Kittrel, N. C.; Stattsteal Secretary, Professor Kelly Miller, Washington, D. C.

Sure Enough.

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Casidy.—I see some wise scholard is claimin' that Adam an' Eve wuz Chinese. Casey.—Tutt tutt man, shure, they must g' been Irish. Wuzn't they evicted?—Phil-sdelnhia Ledzer.

"Berry's for Clothes."



This is Our Shirt Day! (Written for The Times-Dispatch by the

\$1.80 MANHATTAN SHIRTS,

\$2.00 MANHATTAN SHIRTS AT \$1.48.

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Come before your size goes.



FRONT ROYAL HORSE SHOW

A Brilliant Day Marks the Closing of a Splendid Exhibit.

TUMBLE IN STEEPLECHASE

Five Thousand People Witness Large Number of Events.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FRONT ROYAL, VA, Aug. 3.—The last day of the thirteenth annual Horse Show closed to-day under a bright sun and cleur sky. The only mishap, resulting in an injury, happened in the steeplechase, when Evanson's Richeleu II. fell from his mount and was injured. A conservative estimate of the crowd to-day was five thousand.

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thousand.

The summaries were as follows:
Class B, three-year-old jump from yesterday: First, Side Hill, Loudoun Stables,
Aldie, Va.; second, Handsome Bill, Djay
W. Payne, Delapiane, Va.; third, Champagne, N, Frank Neer, Jr., Baltimore,
Md.

Md.
Class 17 free for all up to five feet,
from yesterday: First, Buster Brown,
Mrs. A. L. Warthen, Front Royal, Va.;
second, Kelth, D. C. Gelpin, Boyce, Va.;
third, Ronald, E. W. Payne, Delaplane,
Vi.
Steeplechase, postponed from yesterday:
First, Yeremoi, Richard, Wallack, Warrellie, Va. sepond, West Town, E. Tlays

Va.

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Pirst, Yeremel, Richard Wallack, Warrenton, Va.; second, West Town, E. Hays,
Warrenton Va.; third, Dioned, F. S.
Carter, Warrenton, Va.

Class 8 park saddle: First, Jolly Boy,
Prince William Stabels, Manassas, Va.;
second, Bright Lights, Bowles Bros.,
Millwood, Va.; third, R. C. Hall, R. C.
Hall, Pront Royal, Va.

Class 3, best pair shown to pole: Pirst,
Sporting Extra, Town Topics, Prince
William Stables, Manassas, Va.; second,
Lady Mansfield, Miss Edwards, W. W.
McDonald, Berryville, Va.; third, Honor
Bright, Penny Wiso, A. L. Warthen,
Front Royal, Va.

Class 5, ladles harness horses; First,
Archie, Dr. C. P. Smith, Hagerstown,
M. G.; second, Sporting Extra, PrinceWilliam Stables, Manassas, Va.; third,
Sporting Bishop, H. C. Warden, Berryville, Va.; fourth, McIntyro, James
Wright, Winchester, Va.

Class 12, light-weight hunters: First,
Ruster Brown, Mrs. A. L. Warthen, Front
Royal; second, At Last, W. W. Gullick,
Rectortowa, Md.; third, Hasther, J. T.
Burwell, Millwood, Va.; fourth, General
Grant, Gibson R. Warthen, Front Royal,
Va.

Chass 4, sporting tandem, 600-yard flat

Grant, Glisson R. Warthen, Front Royal, Va.

Class. 4, sporting tandem, 60-yard flat race; free for all: First, Ben Lalla, Richard Wallack, Warrenton, Va.; second, Bengal, George L. Wallahan, Front Royal, Va.; third, Fire Escapo, Mrs. Robert Barr, Winchester, Va. Dream Peddler, Eastfall, Wild Wave and Hill Lassie, also ran

Class 13, middle and heavy weight jumpers: First, Pichmont, W. G. Fletcher, Upperville, Va.; second Ronald, E. W. Payne, Delaplane, Va.; third, Fetthers, E. B. Jacobs, Bayrrd, Va.; fourth, First Choice, R. E. Wier, Mildale, Va.

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Jailtimore, Md. Twenty-nine horres entered.
Class 15, ladles hunters: First, Buster
Brown, Mrs. A. L. Warthen, Front
Hoyal, Va.; second, Village Maid, H.
C. Wurden, Berryville, Va.; third, Hiester, J. T. Burwell, Millwood, Va.
Class 15, hunt ream: First, Team, A.
L. Warthen, Front Royal, Va.; second,
Team, B. J. Jacobs, Hayard, Va.
Class 18, ponies in harness: First, Dixlo
W. Golder David, Vernon Mills, Va.;
W. Golder David, Vernon Mills, Va.;
second, Mick, Welton Beatty, Front
Hoyal, Va.; third, Dot, J. K. Marshall,
Markham, Va.
Farmers' fin race; First, Odd Socks,
G. E. White, Halfway, Va.; second, Grey
Goose, G. A. Byers, Jr., Front Royal,
Va.; third, Gooney March, J. G. Updyke,
Browntown, Va.; fourth, May Morning,
L. Board, Howellsville, Va.
Bieoplechase; Zeadock Brst, Haff up,
owned by Charles H. Har, Jr., Theological Seminary; Diomed second, Carter up,
owned by F. R. Carter, Warrenton, Va.;
Ook Crost third, Dikor up, owned by Ed.
Dilger Front Royal, Va. Evanson's
Richeleu H. fell in the second round.

EVERY SUNDAY EXCURSIONS. via Norfolk and Western R'y.

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Round trip tickets at the above low rates will be sold from Richmond for fast train leaving Byrd Street Station 8:30

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EXCURSIONS TO RICHMOND, VA., VIA
THE SOUTHERN BAILWAY.
On August 20th, 21st, 22d and 22d, the
Southern Railway will sell very low rate
tickets from all stations in Virginia to
litchmond and return, limited August
28th, account Virginia State Firemen's
Association.

THE PRESBYTERY OF ROANOKE

Meets in Nottoway Instead of Lunenburg to Give Clear Way to Other Associations.

DELEGATES IN SCHOOLHOUSE

Keysville is Selected as the Next Place for Their Meeting.

Rev. H. A. Brown.)
The Presbytery of Roancke met July 27th at St. Mark's Methodist Church, Notteway county, the use of which was kindly given by the ininister in charge. We were to have assembled at Notteway Falls, in Lupenburg county, but the Presbyterian churches of Blackstone, Crowe and Burkeville uniting with those of Lunenburg in the entertainment of the Presbytery, it was found best to change the place of meeting to the Notteway side of the river.

There were present of the Presbytery nine ministers and thirteen ruling elders. Ruling Elder Hon, H. C. Rice, of the Roanoka Church, Charlotte county, was chosen moderator, and Ruling Elders W. L. Ray, of Meadsville, and Professor J. W. Cook, of the Danville First Church, temporary clorks. 27th at St. Mark's Mothodist Church,

We had also with us as corresponding members Rev. Dr. A. L. Phillips, of Richmond; Rev. J. B. Booker, of Lexington; Rev. C. C. Anderson, of El Paso Prosbytery, Texas; Rev L. E. Scott and Dr. W. S. Campbell, of East Hanover Presbytery, and Rev. J. M. W. Elder, of Macon Presbytery, Georgia.

In connection with the Presbytery, and, in a sense, as part of its proceedings, there was held in a numbers of sessions a Sunday school institute for the discussion of Sunday school matters, and a Heries of "evangelistic" for protracted meeting services nightly, in which the preacher was Rev T. S. Wilson, of Halifax county.

frax county.

A peculiarity of the meeting was that the whole of the members of Presbytery, ministers and elders, were ledged in the two rooms of the public school building, and ate at one table under a tent. This made the meeting a particularly agree-

able one socially.

On two evenings—Saturday and on rainy evening—there were no services in the church, and the members at the school-house held informal devotional and school-house held informal devotional and conference exercises, which were most enjoyable and spiritually stimulating. They were memorable hours. A number were heard remarking—oven the oldest of the members—that this had been the best meeting of Presbytery they had ever attended. In song and prayer and conversation these exercises were most uplitting.

Among the "Institute" exercises was a

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The following discussions were upon the duties involved in these offices:
Judge William H. Mann, of Nottoway, made the leading address upon the duties and power for usefulness involved in the office of ruling elder.
There is not room to name all the subjects discussed and the speakers. But the whole proved informing and editying to a bigh degree, leading to an expressed to a high degree, leading to an expressed determination, upon returning home, to better elders and deacons.

and will speak to the congregation to-day. and will speak to the congregation to-day.

Among the most important transactions of the meeting was the licensing to preach, as a probationer for the ministry of Mr. Arthur H. Clarke, of the First Church, of Danville. Mr. Clarke is already engaged in work in Lynchburg, and was dismissed to the care of the Presbytery of Montgomery. Mr. Clarke gives promise of being an able and useful preacher of the sosnel. We are sorry

was the presentation of a gavel made out of wood from the original house of worship of the Cub Creek Church, Char-lotte, organized in 1782. Mr. Luther P. the Danville Lumber and Manufacturing Company, which did the work gratulously. The Presbytery accepted the gift and cordially voted its thanks to Mr. Harvey

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The Rev. James Arthur, D. D., having been previously suspended from the ministry for contumacy, in refusing to answer to citations to appear and explain in regard to current rumors touching his Christian character, was at this meeting cited to appear for trial on these charges, in Danville on the 22a of August.

The Homo Mission Committee reported that our work in the Luncuburg and Patrick fields is progressing most hopefully under the faithful and untiring labors of our avangelists, Revs. B. F. Hedinger and H. H. Cassady. Many of our churches have not yet paid their apportionment for the purchase of the Patrick manse, and a balance of indoltedness to that fund of about \$700 remains. The churches that have not paid the amounts apportioned to them are carnestly appealed to to send them in as soon as possible. The rate of apportionment was ten per cent. on amount of pastors' salarles. ten per cent, on amount of pastors' sal-aries.

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The Presbyter'y having undertaken to raise \$1,000 towards the completion, within two years from last spring, of the endowment of the "Ministerial Relief" fund, the chairman of our committee for that object was instructed to notify the churches that one-half of the amount is to be raised the present year and the other half next year.

The Committee on the Minutes of the last General Assembly reported adversely on the question of approving the "Articles of Agreement" for "(Joser' co-operative relations with other Presbyterian churches, with a paper (somewhat amended) drawn up by Rev, Dr. T. C. Johnsor as our answer. This question came up late in the seasion, whom most of the members had left, and its consideration was postponed till the next spring stated meeting. It is but fair to add that probably most of those voting for this postponement were in favor of the proposed answer. The writer, however, was not of that number.

The following evangelistic supplies and helps were appointed, viz.: For Hat Creek, etc., Rev, B. F. Bedlinger; Brook-

of the meeting.

The next stated meeting will be held in the new Presbyterian Church at Keysville, beginning the Tuesday before the second Bunday of April, 1907.

Sunday was tolerably fair, and the services (preaching and the Lord's Supper) were held under shelter of an arbor, with a large congregation, and an able sermon by Rev. Dr. A. L. Phillips.

The St. Mark's Church is a nice, large, well-finished and tasteful house of worship, very creditable to the Methodists of the neighborhood.

There were in attendance, as corresponding members and aids in the Sunday School Institute services, Revs. Dr. A. L. Phillips, Dr. W. S. Campbell, Dr. T. P. Epes and L. E. Scott, of Bast Hanover Presbytery; J. E Booker, of Lexington Presbytery; J. E. Booker, of Lexington Presbytery, superintendent of the synod's evangelistic work; J. M. W. Elder, a beloved recent co-presbyter, but now of the Macon Presbytery, Georgia, and C. C. Anderson, of El Paso Presbytery, Texas. The last named preached the opening sermon. He is a sen of the Bethiehem Church.

The Presbyterian churches of Nottoway and Luienburg had a serious job on hand in conveying the twenty or more members of the Presbytory and Sunday School Institute to and fro between the railroads and place of meeting, a distance of about ton miles. Under Mr. Bedin-

LITTLE GIRL SHOT.

The boy owned a rifle, and in attempt The boy owned a rife, and in attempting to remove it from the rack, it was discharged, the ball striking Virginia in the face and passing through the lower part of her head. At last accounts the little girl was doing well, and it is not believed that the wound will prove fatal. A meeting of the business men of Farmville was held last night in the courthouse, the purpose of which was to arouse interest in a proposition presented by Judge A. D. Watkins, to build a railroad from Rosney, Buckingham county, to Farmville, and thence on a railroad from Rosney, Buckingham county, to Farmville, and thence on

co-operation.

It is estimated that the road will cost \$150,000 complete, ready for the rolling stock, from Rosney to Farmville, a dis-

bidders be required to examine the Bruce report, so that the bids would be made intelligently. I can see noth-ing improper in Mr. Moyer's action. He seems to have been more energotic and enterprising than his competitors."

He Will Speak Out.

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Superintendent Knowles, of the Gas Works, declined to discuss the question last night, further than to say that there were two factions in the Council, and that he did not propose to be mixed up in the fight at this time. He continued:

"I will make a statement at the proper time, for I'm tired of concealment and I'm going after them. When I do I intend to call a spade a spade, and I'm not going to spare them. I'll tell what not going to spare

on Monday night, during which sensa-tional disclosures will probably be made.

THE WEATHER.

Forceast: Virginia—Local rains Saturday and Sunday; cooler by Sunday night light to fresh south winds.

North Carolina—Pair Saturday and Sunday; light to fresh south winds.

Conditions Yesterday | Richmond's weather was cloudy and warm, Range of the thermometer: 9 0 A.M. 80 0 P.M. 84 12 M. 52 0 P.M. 82 12 midnight, 79 Average. 82

Highest temperature yesterday ..

Thermometer This Day Last Year

| Cat 8 P. M., Eustern Time.)
| Pince. Ther. High. T. Weather. Asheville, N. C. 74 82 Cloudy Augusta 80 83 Cloudy Atlanta, Ga. 74 88 Clear Buffalo, N. Y. 74 70 Clear Chicago, Ill. 82 90 Cloudy Chicago, Ill. 82 90 Cloudy Chicago, Ill. 82 90 Cloudy Chicago, Ill. 84 88 Clear Davenport 84 90 P. cloudy Checken Research Clear 72 84 80 Clear Potential Co. 84 80 Clear Chicago, Ill. 84 80 Clear Chicago, Ill. 84 80 Clear Chicago, Ill. 85 90 Clear Chicago, Ill. 95 90 Cloudy Chicago, Davenport
Detroit, Mich.,
Galveston, Tex.,
Hatteras, N. C.,
Jacksonville
Kansas City...
Mobile obile ew Orleans... klaboma City.

WINTO JAMESTOWN

Conference Between Transportation Men and the Jamestown Officials.

THE MOTOR BOAT RACES

Committee Go to Indianapolis to Secure Sheet-Metal Workers' Convention.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) NORFOLK, VA., August 8 .- One of the most important conferences yet held at most important conferences yet near at:
exposition, headquarters was that between transportation representatives and
the exposition officials. It has been all
along realized that two things are vitally
necessary to make the 1907 celebration
succeed—sufficient transportation facilitides and cheap fares.

This was stated plainty by Mr. Myers,
governor of ways and means, who was
the exposition spokesman, and it was
concurred in by the railway and steamboat officials, who stated that their pres-

boat officials, who stated that their pres-once was evidence of their desire to do what lay in their power to promote the interests of the entorprise.

Several references were made by the

subscription to the exposition stock, and it was their belief that the money would be returned with interest if the crowds could be handled satisfactorily. This matter, they admitted, was in their hands, and they pledged themselves not only to take care of normal crowds, such as forty or fifty thousand a day, but three or, four times that many should occasion arise.

The subject of rates was discussed at length, and assurance was given that the Jamestown Exposition should have as low a rate as has ever been given to a world's fair in America. From many points to St. Louis the regular excursion fare was one cent a mile, and numerous crack excursions at this rate were run at intervals from points within a five hundred mile radius. This rate means a charge of less than \$7 for a found trip by rail from New York.

Mr. W. H. Barnard, of Norfolk, secretary of the Association of Master Sheet Metal Workers of the United States; George W. Battle, R. L. Albert, J. V. Klerman and E. H. Odendhal will leave Norfolk next Sunday night for Indianapolis, Ind., to attend the second annual convention of the association next week and to pilot the 1997 convention to Norfolk.

Mr. Barnard has been hard at work

olk. Mr. Barnard has been hard at worl for more than six months in an effort to secure the convention for the Jamestown Exposition, and he has the promise of many of the delegates to support his movement. He will be assisted in his fight by the other delegates from Norfolk and Portsmouth.

The committee that will have charge of

The committee that will have charge of the motor-boat carnival, to be held at the exposition, is now nearly completed. Charles P. Tower, publisher of the American Yachtsman, and secretary of the Long Island Sound Racing Association, and Frank Bowne Jones, a prominent yachtsman of New York city, have accepted positions on the committee, upon chief of the Department of Congresse and Special Events, and have promised

ovent a great success.

In selecting this committee, Mr. Sexton has chosen the best known motorboat men and yachtsmen in the country.

TO SUCCEED VAWTER.

Prof. Fulton, of Mississippi University, Head of Miller School.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTISS/ULLE, VA., August 2.—
Professor Robert B. Fulton, of the University of Mississippi, was to-day appointed by Judge John M. White, of the Circuit Court, superintendent of the Miller Manual Labor School, located near Crozet, this county, one of the richest institutions of its kind in the South, to succeed the late Captain Charles E. Vawter, for twenty-eight years the head of the school. Professor Fulton has wired his acceptance, and as soon as he can wind up his affairs at the University of Mississippi will come on to Virginia to take up his mew duties.

Professor Fulton is a native of Alabama, and a man of prominence in the educational world.

LEADERS CONFER.

Republicans in Fifth Preparing

to Put Up Hard Fight,
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOIGE, VA., August 2.—A committee of Republicans of the Fifth Congressional District have called a conference of leaders of the party in the district to meet at the Ponce De Leon Hotel, in this city, to-morrow night, for the purpose of disquesting plans for the capture of the district for their nominee, Dr. John W. Simmons, of Martinsyllie.
A number of Republican leaders arrived to-night, and the conference promises to be well attended.

CANNING INDUSTRY.

Activity in Grove Camp Meetings-Jamestown Appropriation.

BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE Growing South Boston Needs Such an Organization.

Such an Organization.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

SOUTH BOSTON, VA., August 3.—A call meeting of the business mon was held this atternoon at five o'clock in the Bank of South Boston for the purpose of forming a Chamber of Commerce or Business Men's Association, R. H. Bensey was made tomporary secretary.

Short talks were made by S. F. Gillland, R. H. Beasley, Hen. Joseph Stebbins, Sr., and others, stating the object of the meeting, the benefits to be derived from such an organisation, etc. On motion the following committee of five were appointed—S. F. Gillland, chairman; H. L. Edmunds, C. Al Nesbitt, J. G. Fatterson and R. H. Beasley—to solicit snembers for the organization and to report at the next meeting, On motion the following committee of three—Joseph Stebbins, Jr., chairman; H. L. Edmunds and Colonal Henry Easley—were appointed to report as to name plan and scope of the organization, and to propare a constitution and by-laws and report back to a meeting to be held in the Bank of South Boston at 6 P. M. two weeks hence.

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South Boston at 6 P. M. two weeks hence.

A business men's Association is greatly needed in South Boston, as the town is rapidly growing in lemps and bounds, and this is a move in the right direction, as the material is here and needs only to be organized and the proper interest developed to protect and aid each other. Quite a number of the business men enrolled as members this afternoon, but it is hoped that the organization can claim at least 160 members before it is permanently organized.

SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Fifty Per Cent. of Each Race in Petersburg Should Attend.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA, August 3.—The
annual report of Superintendent D. M.
Brown, submitted last night to the City Brown, submitted last night to the City School Board, shows the school population of Petersburg, under the special census of 1905, to be 6,293—whites, 2,999; colored, 3,393. The total enrollment in the public schools the last session was 3,144—whites, 1,490; colored, 1,648. The per cent, of school population enrolled was 50 of each race, and the average per cent, of attendance of enrollment was 89. There are 29 white and 24 colored teachers in the public schools, with an average monthly enrollment to each of 53 pupils. The cost of running the public schools the last year was \$25,143,26, of which the last year was \$25,143.26, of which amount \$11,877.65 was received from the State; \$12,808.11 from the city, and \$457.50

from other sources.

The officers of the School Board are
J. R. W. Smith, president; W. L. Zimmer, Jr., vice-president; Dr. D. M. Brown,

Railroad Magnates.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
SPENCER, N. C., August 3.—Traveling in a train of special cars, a large company of Southern Railway officials visited Spencer this afternoon.
The party included Fourth Vice-President C. H. Ackert, General Manager H. B. Spencer, Assistant E. H. Coapman, G. R. Loyall, M. M. Forenere, W. G. Andrews, A. Ramsure and Trainmasters G. W. Newell and C. K. Miller, The object of the visit was a tour of inspection. The party left to-night on a special for Asheville.

The Arab's Mission.

present thoroughbred is a living witness of the Arab's capability as a founder and creator of racers. Himself founder and creator of racers. Himself a natural racer, bred through centuries for running rather than draft, bred also for speed and stay, the Arab possesses every gift and qualification, courage, decility, temper, endurance, action, determination. If he cannot go with the filers of the course, bred and trained solely for speed, neither can he be called slow. He has run two miles, with Derby weight up, in three minutes and forteight seconds, yet on the course he keeps nearly to his normal speed. Long or short, his race is run from end to end; moreover, so excellent are his temper and constitution that he stands training for years and years, and has been known to win races in his teens. In the point of endurance, no other horse is known to win races in his teens. In the point of endurance, no other horse is worthy to be named with him. Under the trying Indian sun, the two little Arabs, Honeysuckle and Greyleg, were matched for two-mile heats, best three in five. It took soven heats to decide the match, and three of them were dead heats. Fancy such questions being asked of our thoroughbreds—even the best—Country Life in America. Sountry Life in America.

GOVERNOR TYLER TO HELP WELCOME-W. J. BRYAN

Regards Him as the Greatest Champion of the People's Rights.

(Special to The Times-Disputch.)
RADFORD, VA., August 3.—Ex-Gover-



TROUT CAME FROM **BOWELS OF EARTH**

Schools of Fish Found in Two Wells That Had Been Driven and Then Abandoned.

ELLENBURG, WASH., August 3.-The Hayes brothers last year did some boring for artesian water on their farm in Johnson canyon. After they had gone down less than one hundred feet they gave up the idea, although they had struck water, which came up to the surface. They covered these holes-they bored one of ten eter-for the safety of stock, and have lone nothing with them since.

Lately a remarkable discovery has been made. W. T. Sheldon, who has a farm to the strange condition, and many have since seen them. No one has gone to the trouble of catching any, but Mr. Sheldon says they look like trout, and he believes says they look like trout, and he believes they are. He saw no large ones, but says they certainly came up in large numbers. The question naturally presents itself: Where did these fish come from? Mr. Sheldon's theory will doubtless be accepted. He thinks the drill holes connected with an underground latte or river. This is very evident, but beyond this the question is an open one, and a solution of the mystery or a theory by some scientist would be welcomed.

VALUED AT £50,000.

Orchid Worth Thirty Times Its Weight in Diamonds.

A broad shouldered, stalwart looking young man in a blue suit, with carefully creased trousers, stood near the orchid section of the Temple Flower Show last evening, watching with keen, aleriglances the transference of the precious plants to the growers' vans. The sonti-plants to the growers' vans. The sonti-nel's appearance was unmistakable, he was a city plain-clothes detective. As the vast bank of orchids, stretch-ing the whole length of the principal tent, results thinged the young man drow a

ing the whole length of the principal tent, rapidly thinned, the young man drow a handkerchief across his brow, and, with a sigh of relief, murmured, "Thank goodness, it is all over."

For three days he had kept guard over £50,000 worth of orchids, his place being taken during the night time by other watchers. Ingenious precautions were adopted to basile the dishonest enterprise of any person who might be desirous of of any person who might be desirous of snatching up a small fortune in the shape of a flower or two. Initial, for example, worth anywhere up to 2,000 guineus were purposely placed in the modest company of orchids closely resembling them so far as the untutored eye could detect, but valueless in comparison.

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"A collection of orchids such as this is a great anxiety to the owners," observed Mr. Sander, of St. Albans, who doubted if he would accept £15,00 for his own individual exhibits. "Cases have occurred," he added, "where after the publication of the description of some expensive variety of orchid the plant has been carefully picked out from the other exhibits and stolen.

"Throughout the last two days I scarcely removed my glance from the Odontoglossum crispum Leonard Perfect, which I sold for over £1,000. It consisted of about six flowers—large, rounded, with a roddish brown blotch bordered with white. Fortunately, the buyer claimed it yesterday.

"Orchid growers do not insure their plants, but should an expensive specimen be stolen the owner could recognize it years afterward. No two orchids in the higher varieties are allied, they resomble thoroughbreds in that they have points."

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'The Messrs, Sander have won the gold oup, the gold medal and the Veltchian

cup, the gold medal and the Vetchian Cup.

Fourteen hundred pounds was the price paid to Messrs. Hugh Low & Company by a visitor to the show for a spectmen of the Odentoglossum crispum Fearnley Sander. There were only three flowers, which gives a trifle of over £466 for a buttonhole—if any one is enough of a Crocsus to wear such a decoration. This flower, which is worth thirty times its weight in diamonds, has a thin white border. The rest of the petal is heavily barred and blotched with a chmamon brown, which in the sunlight assumes the hue of highly burnished copper.

The orchids were the wonder of a show that was a record for the Temple in every respect.—London Mail.

Activity in Grove Camp Meetings—Jamestown Appropriation.

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Dr. W. R. Laird, Martinsville, Dr. V. R. Laird; Briery and Meherrin, Rev. J. A. Paisiey; Village and Drake's Branch, Rev. M. Raine.

Besides the members of the Presbytery, nine other delegates to the Eunday School Institute were present, male-and-female, Bunday school workers in their respective congregations—via, W. H. Burgess, of Mercy Seat Sunday School; R. A. Hendersen, of Charlotte Courthouse; Miss Mary Baldwin, of Providence; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Vuughan, of Drake's Branch; Miss Pauline Hethern, of Ebeneaer, and Garland Stokes, from same; Miss Minnle Brags, of Lunenburg Courthouse, and Henry N. Andrews, of Rough Creek.

The wet weather interfered much with the attendance, and broke up the meeting two days earlier than was expected. Rev. B. F. Bedinger, the pastor of the Lunenburg churches, was indefatigable in his intentions and efforts, and succeeded in providing admirably for the comfort of the members and the succeeded in providing admirably for the comfort of the members and the succeeded in providing admirably for the next stated meeting will be held in the new Presbyterian Church at Keystville, beginning the Tuesday before the

ger's assiduous leadership, all was accom-blished fully and most satisfactorily.

The spirit of the meetings was ex-cellent, and the preaching at night by Rev. T. 8. Wilson, able and tender.

Business Men's Meeting in Interest of Buckingham Road.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FARMVILLE, VA., August 3.—Virginia
Atkinson, the eight-year-old daughter of
J. M. Atkinson, of this county, was accidentally shot and seriously injured yesterday evening by her brother, aged ten
years.

be better elders and deacons.

It proved a rainy time, interfering with the attendance of the people, and a closing of the meeting two days earlier than the programme called for.

Rev. H. W. Myers, a missionary on furiough from Japan, came after the adjournment. He is here this morning and will speak to the congregation to-day.

I know, and it will be over my own signiture."

All indications point to a lively fight

Conditions in Important Cities.